

11.11.2024
tkm/ct 28
sl no. 28

C.R.M. (A) 3837 of 2024

In Re : An application for anticipatory bail under section 482 of BNSS 2023 in connection with Garfa P.S Case no. 145 dated 24.10.2024 under sections 135/138 of the Electricity Act, 2003

Allowed

In Re : Kali Kinkar Majhi & Anr.

..... petitioners

Mr. Indranil Halder

..... for the petitioners

Ms. Sreyashee Biswas

..... for CESC

Ms. Sujata Das

Mr. Debanshu Ghorai

..... for the State

1. Heard the learned advocates for the parties.
2. Petitioners had deposited 50% against the bill raised for unmetered consumption to the tune of Rs. 4,65,366/- without prejudice to his rights and contentions.
3. In view of the aforesaid fact and bearing in mind the nature of allegations, we are of the opinion that custodial interrogation of the petitioners may not be necessary and they may be granted anticipatory bail.
4. Accordingly, we direct that in the event of arrest, the petitioners shall be released on bail upon furnishing a bond of Rs. 2,000/- each with two sureties of like amount each, to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer and also subject to the conditions as laid down under section 482(2) of BNSS 2023.
5. Petitioners shall appear before the jurisdictional court and pray for regular bail within four weeks from date.
6. The application being CRM (A) 3837 of 2024 is disposed of.

(Ajay Kumar Gupta , J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)